

Township of Tiny Local Aging Plan Scorecard

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<p>Respect & Inclusion</p> <p>Goal: Promote an environment in which older people feel included, acknowledged and respected.</p> <p><u>Objectives:</u></p> <p>1. Build positive community attitudes through an increased understanding of aging and intergenerational needs within the community.</p> <p>2. Demonstrate inclusiveness of older people by their involvement in community decision-making.</p> <p>3. Provide adaptive programs, services and facilities to accommodate the needs of older people.</p>	Provide support to families in challenging circumstances to help prevent elder abuse.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Help lines/information publicized in North Simcoe Directory of Senior Services • Offered education session through Senior Speaker Series (Jan 2018) • Tiny Senior Moment (Springwater News) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Continue offering educational opportunities and spreading awareness through communication channels such as Seniors Column (elder abuse, senior trafficking etc.) • Post information on www.tiny.ca/seniors • Annual Webinars/Speaker Series
	Initiate a program of public education on the importance of treating older people with respect while also recognizing their roles in the community.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Senior Speaker Series • Establishment of SAC • June is Seniors Month • Senior of the Year – ‘Heart of Tiny’ Award • Township of Tiny Volunteer Program • Tiny Senior Moment (Springwater News) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Approach local elementary schools in Tiny to explore intergenerational opportunities • Highlight seniors in local newspaper/township website/senior’s column • Intergenerational programming activities (breakfast/choirs/specialty clubs i.e. sewing/cooking) • Explore opportunities with local Senior Clubs
	Formally recognize the past and present achievements and contributions to the community older adults have made.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Senior of the Year – ‘Heart of Tiny’ Award • Senior of the Year Award Certificate (Ministry of Seniors and Accessibility) • Volunteer Awards (Corrie Hamelin/Robert Robitaille Awards) • Annual Senior Symposium • June is Seniors Month • Tiny Senior Moment (Springwater News) • Township of Tiny Website 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Highlight seniors in local newspaper/township website/senior’s column • Participate/Contribute to Ontario Volunteer Service Awards • Build a senior’s support network (i.e. seniors teaching seniors) • Enhance senior section on the Township of Tiny website
	Regularly consult with older adults on matters of public planning, policy and recreation programs and services.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Advisory Committees of Council • Live streaming of Council meetings • Surveys (online and paper) i.e. Transportation Master Plan • Seasonal recreation guide delivered through the local newspaper and available at the municipal offices • Tiny Connect & Newspapers, Seniors Column (Springwater News), Town Halls, Local Aging Plan and Tax Newsletter 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Consult with local Senior Clubs and Senior Groups • Initiate North Simcoe Seniors Networking Group (representatives from advisory committees, municipalities, clubs and senior service providers) • Include current senior programming from Tiny clubs in Rec Guide
	Actively recruit older adults to participate on civic and volunteer agency and organization boards of directors.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Advisory Committees of Council • Volunteer opportunities Tiny’s Volunteer Management Program 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Post internal volunteer opportunities at local senior’s clubs • Post and promote volunteer opportunities available in the community (i.e. members needed for hospital board or seniors’ clubs/groups) • Provide webinars on board governance, skills, and other related topics
	Ensure that communication and consultation with the Francophone community is in their language of origin.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Translate documents relating to senior services i.e. posters • Francophone staff available at municipal offices to answer inquiries in French • Funding received from the County for translation of Directory of Senior Services 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Continue to seek funding for document translation • Seek funding to provide translator at select corporate meetings (i.e.. Town Hall) • Provide information sessions for francophones for select, high profile consultations; include an appointed Francophone rep at SAC table • Look into translation functions on new municipal website
	Review and improve access to the internet, making it more user friendly.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Council delegation to Ministry at AMO 2019 to emphasize need for connectivity in small rural municipalities • Swift initiative • Township partnership with Economic Development Corporation of North Simcoe and NS Community Futures Development Corp. to secure funding to improve connectivity • Council approved installation of towers at CBO, Wyevale, Wyebridge and Toanche parks • Partnerships with local libraries • Coffee & Connect at Wyebridge Community Centre (including device loaner program) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Enhance www.tiny.ca/seniors • Continue to explore and support connectivity projects • Explore the creation of technology hubs in dead zones (i.e. clubs/businesses/stores/community centers)

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	<p>Invite older adults to participate in the planning of community activities and special events.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Seniors recruited and participate as volunteers at special events; senior symposium, community barbecue, pickleball, shuffleboard, women's art circle, senior speaker series, seniors symposium • Senior Speaker Series/volunteer opportunities 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Intergenerational activities and programs • Cross communications with the Youth Advisory Committee • Establishment of a Volunteer Advisory Committee of Council
	<p>Review the existing inventory of arts and culture program space. Begin a process of upgrading and enhancement to accommodate the special needs of the older adult population.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Women's cooperative art circle • Municipality member of Culture Alliance in the Heart of Georgian Bay • Reciprocal Library Agreement • Coffee & Connect at Wyebridge Community Centre 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Meet with Art Quest to explore artistic and cultural opportunities for seniors • Approach Festival du Loup for senior specific role/cultural activity • Explore inventory of programming at local cultural centres: Askennonia/Native Friendship Centre-Pow Wow/Ste Marie among the Hurons/local churches • Explore alternative programming i.e. beading/drumming/smudging • Consult seniors in the event of new municipal construction • Coffee & Connect at Wyebridge Community Centre to offer cultural opportunities • Creation of a new Advisory Committee of Council (volunteer advisory committee that would participate in the planning of community bbq, etc)

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<p>Social Participation</p> <p>Goal: Foster social integration so that older people can continue to exercise their competence and maintain and enjoy caring relationships with other people.</p> <p><u>Objectives:</u></p> <p>1. Establish partnerships to deliver a wide range of recreational and social events.</p> <p>2. Deliver more diversified programs and services for older people at the right times and in the right places.</p>	<p>Assist local and neighbouring senior citizen associations and clubs to continue to be financially viable.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Annual municipal subsidies granted to Bayshore/Georgian Shores • Continued municipal in-kind contributions i.e. printing, facility rental • Local Senior Club Open Houses (Georgian Shores Swinging Seniors, Bayshore Senior Citizens Centre, Le Club D'Age D'Or) • Promote Senior Clubs and Associations in NS Directory of Senior Services and www.tiny.ca/seniors 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Investigate ways to share responsibilities and expertise • Investigate ways to support mandates • Communicate in order to avoid duplication • Share funding/grant opportunities • Initiate North Simcoe Seniors Networking Group (representatives from advisory committees, municipalities, clubs and senior service providers) • Local Senior Club • Open houses continue • Explore partnership with Le Club d'lage d'or/rendezvous
	<p>Establish cooperative working relationships with neighbouring municipalities to plan programs, share facilities and jointly promote services.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • North Simcoe Directory of Senior Services • Consultation and collaboration between Tiny/Tay/Midland/Penetang regarding senior initiatives • Sharing of grant information and expertise • Reciprocal Library Agreement • Simcoe County Age-Friendly Community Networking Group 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Initiate North Simcoe Seniors Networking Group (representatives from advisory committees, municipalities, clubs and senior service providers) to explore join senior initiatives
	<p>Work with local Senior Centres and other care providers to integrate senior resident activities with those in the community.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Printing and posting of club newsletters • Sharing of information through the Directory of Senior Services • Relationship building with local seniors' clubs • Local Senior Club Open Houses (Georgian Shores Swinging Seniors, Bayshore Senior Citizens Centre, Le Club D'Age D'Or) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Continue to work with local providers and share information through municipal venues • Provide links on new website
	<p>Align with the Beausoleil First Nations to integrate indigenous recreation and health programming with the Township of Tiny's senior citizen programs and events.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • North Simcoe Directory of Senior Services • Member of the Culture Alliance in the Heart of Georgian Bay 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Invitation to attend future SAC meeting • Visit to Christian Island to explore and learn of senior programming offered to indigenous senior population
	<p>Develop a series of Senior for Senior in-home visiting programs in conjunction with service partners groups and volunteers.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Information exchange with the County of Simcoe • Promote Red Cross Friendly Visiting Program 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Explore services offered in province to better understand programs and financial/volunteer commitments
	<p>Initiate whenever possible, intergenerational programming to increase the interaction between youth and older adults.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Recommendation noted in the Parks and Recreation Master Plan • Youth mirroring senior of the year award with youth of the year award • Youth advisory committee mirroring SAC by delivering youth symposium in May 2020 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Include youth/senior updates at respective committee meetings • Invite SAC to help with the delivery of the Youth Symposium • Invite YAC to help with the delivery of the Senior Symposium • Seek funding opportunities for intergenerational programming
	<p>Involve older adults in the design of recreational and social programming in municipal facilities and increase intergenerational activities.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Intergenerational programming recommended in Parks and Recreation Master Plan 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Consultation with seniors for future municipal builds • Consultation with seniors regarding future programming • Communications with Youth Advisory Committee for joint programming efforts • Volunteer Advisory Committee of Council • Seek funding opportunities for intergenerational programming
	<p>Promote church and related community activities (that include food) to encourage more networking and socialization.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Recommendation noted in the Parks and Recreation Master Plan • North Simcoe Directory of Senior Services 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Continue to build on current inventory of church and community activities (i.e. bridge at St John on Tuesday afternoons) • Local calendar of events for seniors populated by each municipality • Calendar of events featured on www.tiny.ca/seniors • Explore a joint Youth/Senior Symposium

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<p style="text-align: center;">Communication & Information</p> <p>Goal: Create and distribute timely information to the older adult population to ensure they are kept well informed of programs and services.</p> <p>Objectives:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Raise the profile of older adult services and programs to increase participation. 2. Devise formats and types of information that will be effective in reaching older people. 3. Establish mechanisms and processes through which information can be easily distributed to and accessed by older adults. 	Develop an annual marketing and communication plan to reach seniors in Tiny.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> North Simcoe Directory of Senior Services Tiny Connect advertised and promoted to all residents Annual Local Aging Plan update at Senior Symposium www.tiny.ca/seniors SAC Meeting posted online Communications & Committee Coordinator Midland Mirror Community Page, Seniors Mail Chimp Email Blast, Seniors Column (Springwater News) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Enhancement of www.tiny.ca/seniors Reach out to spiritual organizations and highlight at speaker series Look into promotion through Focus 50 Communications Policy (Communications Coordinator) Website enhancements
	Continue to work with other government agencies and service providers to assist with messaging and information distribution.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> North Simcoe Directory of Senior Services updated every 2 years Updating Directory every two years Member of Simcoe County Age-Friendly Networking Group Local Senior Club Open Houses (Georgian Shores Swinging Seniors, Bayshore Senior Citizens Centre, Le Club D'Age D'Or Reciprocal Library Agreement 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Initiate North Simcoe Seniors Networking Group (representatives from advisory committees, municipalities, clubs and senior service providers) to explore strategies Re-connect with Simcoe Muskoka District Health Unit Explore Health Unit appointment to SAC
	Conduct market research to determine the types of information, preferred methods of delivery and other methods to reach older adults, and integrate findings into communication practices	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Tiny Connect (email, text, voice call) Surveys at events (symposium, speaker series, day trips etc.) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Offer online survey to conduct research Offer surveys at main offices, town halls, events, council meetings, etc. and senior events
	Translate information relevant to older people into the French language and ensure that it is distributed to the Francophone community.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Translation of North Simcoe Directory of Senior Services Translation dollars included in Recreation & Culture Department budget Francophone staff available at municipal offices to answer inquiries in French 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Continue to make efforts to translate information relevant to seniors i.e. senior symposium poster Continue to seek funding for document translation Seek funding to provide translator at select corporate meetings Provide information sessions for francophones for select, high profile consultations Look into translation functions on new municipal website Website/translate feature
	Establish mechanisms and processes through which information can be easily distributed to and accessed by older adults.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Midland Mirror Community Page, Seniors Mail Chimp Email Blast, Seniors Column (Springwater News) Tiny Connect www.tiny.ca/seniors Communications & Committee Coordinator Reciprocal Library Agreement 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Create distribution list of local senior service providers, senior clubs and associations Initiate North Simcoe Seniors Networking Group (representatives from advisory committees, municipalities, clubs and senior service providers) to explore info sharing
	Establish a media relations contact list with service providers and government agencies to distribute and request information about senior services.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Directory of Senior Services County of Simcoe 211 Tiny Senior Moment Displays at Town Hall, BBQ, etc 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 'Senior Moments' at Town Hall Initiate North Simcoe Seniors Networking Group (representatives from advisory committees, municipalities, clubs and senior service providers) Communications Policy
	Establish an information clearing house at the Municipal Offices and develop an "Age Friendly" section on the Township website.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Seniors page provided on municipal website 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Allocation for community space in the event of the construction of a new town hall Enhance www.tiny.ca/seniors with Age Friendly information and links
	Provide assistance to older people in navigating the local health care.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> North Simcoe Directory of Senior Services CCAC/LHINS 211 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Create and provide a 'how to' chart to help seniors navigate the health care system Liase with local health care providers (Chigamik, GBGH)

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	Partner with the North Simcoe Muskoka Community Care Access Centre (CCAC) to promote the Make the Connection 211 information service.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Directory of Senior Services • Promote 211 on www.tiny.ca, eblasts, Midland Mirror and Seniors Column 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Gain greater understanding of local health care providers to share with residents
	Work with local media and other information distribution organizations to ensure that print size, colour and voice messaging is "older adult friendly" within all Township communication.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Integrated Accessibility Standards Regulation Training Booklet • Accessible Customer Service Policy 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • AODA Compliant Website (in process) • Communications Policy
	Provide public spaces where older people can access high-speed internet services and print materials etc.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Delivery of technology workshop • Reciprocal Library Agreement • Wifi available at Tiny Township Community Centre and Wyebridge Community Centre 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Coffee & Connect at Wyebridge Community Centre • Allocation for community space in the event of the construction of a new town hall • Create hubs in Tiny, especially close to dead zones
	Collaborate with organizations that provide home care to devise ways to distribute information directly to older people in their homes.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Directory of Senior Services 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Initiate North Simcoe Seniors Networking Group (representatives from advisory committees, municipalities, clubs and senior service providers) to explore collaborations with care providers

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<p style="text-align: center;">Civic Participation & Employment</p> <p>Goal: Recognize, celebrate and capitalize upon the wealth of knowledge and experience that older people bring to the community.</p> <p><u>Objectives:</u></p> <p>1. Create multiple opportunities through which older people can contribute to their community.</p> <p>2. Provide skill building and personal enrichment opportunities.</p>	<p>Establish a volunteer database that lists opportunities includes a description of qualifications, experience and preferences for involvement.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Tiny's Volunteer Management Program • All Township volunteer positions have detailed position description. • Volunteer opportunities listed in Directory of Senior Services • 211 Community Connection 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Enhance Volunteer Software • Improve "Volunteer Opportunities" webpage • Implementation of Better impact volunteer software • Training on Better Impact volunteer software
	<p>Work with the local businesses and the agricultural community to identify and promote paid employment and volunteer opportunities that are accessible and accommodate the needs of older adults. Provide information of where to search for employment opportunities through the senior's directory and on the township website.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Township employment and volunteer opportunities are listed on www.tiny.ca • Township employment and volunteer opportunities are sent out to Tiny Connect users and posted on Community Page • 211 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Include employment resources in the directory of senior services • Review of 2022 Seniors Directory; ensure it is appropriately updated every 2 years • Explore and build relationships with local job providers (i.e. YMCA)
	<p>Provide incentives information for older people to be politically active on Municipal Council and other relative Committees.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Committee vacancies are promoted through Tiny Connect and through various media channels (newspapers, LED signs, website etc.) • Honorarium is offered to Committee volunteers to act as an incentive and to break financial barriers of participation. • All residents have equal opportunity to run for Council • Township promotes upcoming elections • Township offers information session for candidates and third party advertisers 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Explore future webinars on political awareness and education • Feature a governance module at a future Town Hall
	<p>In conjunction with other community partners, develop a series of skill building and/or personal enrichment educational courses for older adults.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Senior Speaker Series • Promote educational workshops through Directory of Senior Services and on Township Seniors Webpage • Promote workshops taking place at local senior clubs • June is Seniors Month • Partnership with Gateway Centre for Learning 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Continue to offer workshops that provide skill building/educational opportunities (i.e. Senior Speaker Series) • Conduct thorough search and inventory of community organizations that provide skill building and educational opportunities to seniors and promote • Look into Georgian College programs for seniors and promote accordingly • Initiate North Simcoe Seniors Networking Group (representatives from advisory committees, municipalities, clubs and senior service providers) to explore joint educational opportunities
	<p>Offer municipally sponsored volunteer training programs in conjunction with community organizations and agencies.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Township offers comprehensive volunteer training programs for all positions 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Enhance Volunteer Software/Better Impact • Improve "Volunteer Opportunities" webpage and include Better Impact information • Explore volunteer training programs in partnerships with local seniors' clubs • Engagement with Age Friendly Community Project Committee - local community networking group

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<p>Outdoor Spaces & Buildings</p> <p>Goal: Create outdoor spaces, buildings and amenities that encourage older people to be active and foster social interaction.</p> <p><u>Objectives:</u></p> <p>1. Ensure that public and private infrastructure design and maintenance are consistent with the needs of older adults.</p> <p>2. Engage older adults in the planning and delivery of facilities, and develop fee and access policies reflective of community needs.</p>	Develop walking paths, sidewalks and crosswalks in high traffic areas in villages and hamlets.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • SAC acts as a voice for seniors and supports recommendations that relate to walking paths and crosswalks • Public works installs new crosswalks based on recommendations and traffic regulations (i.e. Wyevale Public School) • Tiny Trails and Active Transportation Committee • Rolling Boardwalks at beach parks • Accessible walking paths are green parks • SAC consultation as part of the Transportation Master Plan 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Transportation Master Plan adoption and implementation
	Supplement foot traffic infrastructure with conveniently placed washrooms and rest areas.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Public works department supplies washrooms and responds to requests for portable washrooms in high traffic areas • Portable washrooms supplied during special community events and programming • Commemorative Bench Program • Accessibility Advisory Committee & Trails & Active Transportation Advisory Committee • Parks and Recreation Advisory Committee review of current amenities with recommendations for future installations and/or construction 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Identify areas requiring additional benches • New washrooms at Toanche Park • Construction of washroom as Lafontaine Beach Park • Consideration of permanent washroom structure at Bluewater Beach
	Work with traffic enforcement officials to reduce speeding violations.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Public Works Departments responds to recommendations for stop signs and speed bumps to keep the public safe • SAC provides recommendations to council on traffic enforcement concerns to keep seniors safe • Speed bumps, speed radars and speed limit road painting implemented in areas of concern (i.e. Tiny beaches Road) • Analysis and rating of roads during Transportation Master Plan Process 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Transportation Master Plan • Develop an education program and promote through Township platforms • Continued monitoring and reporting
	Continue to create and maintain green space and recreation facilities that are accessible to all residents.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Parks & Recreation Master Plan • Staff remain up to date with the Accessibility Advisory Committee initiatives; such as parking for mobility challenges (AAC Liaison) • AAC makes recommendations for accessible features in green spaces and recreation facilities as required (i.e. Mobi Mats, Playgrounds) • Parks and Recreation Advisory Committee champions Recreation and Parks • Tiny Trails and Active transportation Committee champions trails 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • SAC to be consulted in new playground discussions • Look into Age-Friendly Playgrounds • Advisory Committee to continue to champion green spaces and Recreation facilities • Install of age-friendly playground at Parkside Park
	Work with the Economic Development Corporation of North Simcoe to determine the feasibility of attracting banking and other retail services to the municipality.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • North Simcoe Directory of Senior Services • 211 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Promote Simcoe County's Age-Friendly Business Program • Senior Speaker Series on Online Banking
	Review and adapt rental policies and rates to reflect user capacity to pay.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Facility rental rates include a Seniors discount • Affordable Recreation Program • Promotion of programs for poverty relief 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Annual review of rates • Consideration of Senior Rebate Program
	Make beaches and recreation facilities open and available to the general public at times they are needed.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Township continues to monitor usage times for residents and adapts accordingly • The SAC remains open to suggestions if seniors find the hours available are insufficient • Extension of park staffing during summer months 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Remain fluid with business hours to respond to changing realities

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	Integrate the recommendations of existing plans as listed in the Local Aging Plan with new facility, service and program development.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Local Aging Plan integrated into new Master Plans (i.e. Transportation master Plan, Parks & Recreation Master Plan) • Reciprocal Library Agreement 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Cross-communication between SAC, PRAC, AAC and TTAT to ensure collaboration, sharing of information and reduction of duplication
	Ensure that recreation and health service facilities are dispersed throughout the Township, located in close proximity to the target audience.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Township has recreation facilities and parks in most areas 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Look into feasibility of mobile services • Construction of large shade structure at Toanche Park • Construction of washrooms at Lafontaine Beach Park • Consideration of additional community garden to serve senior demographic

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<p style="text-align: center;">Housing</p> <p>Goal: Create an environment in which there are a variety of housing options and supports in place so that older people are able to age in place while in the Township of Tiny.</p> <p><u>Objectives:</u></p> <p>Respe</p>	Review and revise local planning area designations, particularly, in hamlets and villages to enable the development of alternative forms of affordable housing (granny flats and homes suitable for older people).	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Staff will continue to review local planning area designations as they become available to ensure they consider affordable housing for seniors • Tiny's Official Plan incorporates affordable housing for seniors' designations • Tiny has contributed \$100,000 to the development of affordable housing in North Simcoe 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Educate on and promote garden suites and secondary suites • Inform seniors about grants available to retrofit their home (at County and Provincial levels) • Webinars on "do's and don'ts" of affordable housing and secondary suites • Zoning by-law review
	Engage with developers during the planning approval process to incorporate housing styles and design features that are consistent with an aging population's needs.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Building and Planning Department engages in this practice as per legislation 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Education of seniors on housing styles and design features beneficial to aging
	Increase the capacity of older people through educational forums and workshops.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Senior Speaker Series on in home services and strategies to allow Seniors to Age in Place • Senior Symposium showcases senior services on housing transition and in-home services • North Simcoe Directory of Senior Services 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Add video clips from providers on the www.tiny.ca/seniors • Investigation of Canada HomeShare program • Networking with building organizations to stay informed on trends
	Explore options and create opportunities for support with minor home repairs, yard maintenance and snow clearing.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • North Simcoe Directory of Senior Services • 211 • Support of Snow Angels Canada program • Independent Living Services • Simcoe County Age-Friendly Seniors Housing Grant 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Make this information more easily available on the senior's webpage • Investigate HomeShare program • Investigate cooperatives for services bartering
	Provide support for modifications and renovations to homes and installation of specialized equipment.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Promote Independent Living Services • Simcoe County Age-Friendly Seniors Housing Grant • Directory of Senior Services • 211 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Make this information more readily available on the website
	Conduct a formal review in conjunction with the County of Simcoe, private senior residence operators and other interested parties to determine the potential for future development of senior residences and multi-care facilities in the Township.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Simcoe County oversees the development of affordable housing units in North Simcoe • National Housing strategy (2018) • Age-Friendly Rural and Remote Communities: A Guide • Township of Tiny and Simcoe County Official Plan 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Investigate construction companies for future developments and ways to turn existing units into affordable housing • Invite specialists in this field to attend meetings to help during discussions • Investigate HomeShare program

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<p>Community Support & Health Services</p> <p>Goal: Contribute to maintaining the health and independence of older people through the availability of accessible and affordable physical health, mental health and other social services.</p> <p><u>Objectives:</u></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> Develop a physical health, mental health and social service strategy that will address the four barriers to health care as identified in a publication of the 2015 Global Watch Index. Work with service agencies and organizations to enhance home support services. Establish mechanisms and processes through which information can be easily distributed to and accessed by older adults. 	Empower patients and caregivers with the information they need to navigate the system.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> North Simcoe Directory of Senior Services County of Simcoe Paramedicine Program Senior Speaker Series & Health Talks Simcoe Muskoka District Health Unit Senior Column (Springwater Newspaper) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Promote 211 on website under Seniors and Accessibility webpage Make Directory available in other businesses and facilities Encourage the development of a Human Health service provider strategy Explore Health System Navigation Services
	Require current or future health or social care professional to learn about the care of the elderly.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Integrated Seniors Health Program – Specialized Geriatric Services (NSM LHIN). Simcoe County as a Team Member NSM SGS Education Program Simcoe Muskoka Integrated Fall Strategy Simcoe Muskoka District Health Unit AAC Liaison 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Encourage the development of a Human Health service provider strategy Membership from local Health Unit or Health Professional on SAC Educate on Home and Community Care Support Service
	Talk to each other well within and between sectors and professions. Work as a system, not in silos.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Home & Community Care (NSM LHIN) SAC maintains relationships with neighbouring municipalities, senior clubs, the health unit and other agencies to better understand seniors' services within and between sectors and professions North Simcoe Directory of Senior Services Accessibility Advisory Committee Liaison Collaborate with neighbouring municipalities to assist with their Local Aging Plan development Collect information from seniors about what's important to them during Senior Speaker Series and Senior Symposium Simcoe Muskoka District Health Unit Simcoe Country Age-Friendly Community Networking Group 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Promote specialized geriatric services Initiate North Simcoe Seniors Networking Group (representatives from advisory committees, municipalities, integrated clubs and senior service providers) to explore integrated systems Encourage the development of a Human Health service provider strategy Education on current healthcare system and providers Include representation from Health Unit or Health Professional on SAC
	Plan for tomorrow with regards to understanding the mix of services we should invest in to support sustainability.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> SAC engages with the public, county and other agencies to assess what senior services are required in Tiny Liaison with the County of Simcoe 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Initiate North Simcoe Seniors Networking Group (representatives from advisory committees, municipalities, clubs and senior service providers) to explore integrated systems Explore and encourage Service Hubs Presentation from Home & Community Care Support Services
	Provide organizational and administrative support to agencies and organizations providing home support services so that primary care, social and mental health, and Friendly Visiting services can be expanded. Explore the feasibility of introducing end of life care, located either in the home or other facility in the township.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Continue to fund and support local senior centres who are leaders in the field of senior services and providing these services Promote through Directory of Senior Services and 211 Senior Speaker Series and Symposium Hospice Huronia 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Better connect and liaison with Hospice Huronia. Invite them to a meeting to learn more about their services and what Tiny can do to promote Senior Speaker topic from Hospice Huronia Explore a community "Senior at Home" strategy
	Work with the Rendezvous Complex to determine the feasibility of establishing a satellite or service "hub" to deliver services of a Family Health Team.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Promote Rendez-vous through Senior Symposium, website, Directory of Senior Services, 211, Senior Club open houses Rendez-vous offers programs for all residents including beauty salon, massage, reflexology, foot care, banking, computer skills and health & wellness activities 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Initiate North Simcoe Seniors Networking Group (representatives from advisory committees, municipalities, clubs and senior service providers) to explore integrated systems Offer Open House at Le Club D'Age D'Or/The Rendezvous Encourage Service Hubs
	Establish working relationships with service agencies to enable the delivery of non-traditional medicine like massage therapy, physiotherapy, traditional healing, etc.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Directory of Senior Services 211 CHIGAMIK Community Health Centre Senior speaker series, senior symposium 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Municipal staff be aware of cultural trends in the community Improve the inclusiveness of programming and services Encourage Service Hubs

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	Consult with the North Simcoe Muskoka LHIN to establish a local servicing point for the frail elderly within the context of the Specialized Geriatric Services strategy.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • North Simcoe Family Health Team and Waypoint: Local servicing points for frail elderly in North Simcoe • Simcoe County Paramedicine Program 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ongoing discussion with North Simcoe Family Health Team and Simcoe County Paramedicine Program • Promote Community Reach and accessible transportation to get residents to the places with these services
	Improve outreach service delivery in collaboration with service agencies and organizations to expand the delivery of chiropractic, physical aids equipment loan, grocery delivery, Meals on Wheels, and foot care, etc. ADD improve awareness of outreach services... not improve (don't set yourself up for failure.)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Directory of Senior Services • 211 • Senior Speaker Series • Senior Symposium • Senior Column (Springwater News) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Communications Policy (Communications & Committee Coordinator) • Future Symposium built around Community Health Services • Presentation from Health Professional familiar with the system • Home and Community Care Support Services – Deliver home-care and long-term care placement services and provide referrals to community services
	Begin the process to integrate a respite care component to all municipally sponsored recreation and social programs.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Promote services through Directory of Senior Services and 211 • North Simcoe Muskoka Specialized Geriatric Services List 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Funding application to launch process of respite program integration
	Improve availability of affordable, accessible transportation so that older people don't have to use vehicles or friends and families to access care.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Directory of Senior Services, 211, Senior Speaker Series, Senior Symposium: Wheels 4 Wheels, Red Cross, Community Reach • Council funds community reach and Wheels 4 Wheels on an annual basis • LINX is available (program offered) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Federation of Canadian Municipalities: Funding opportunity to assist smaller municipalities with unique transportation concerns • Adoption and Implementation of Transportation Master Plan
	Use retired physicians and pharmacists to assist older people in navigating the local and regional health care system.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • MCC offers presentations about navigating health care system • 211 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Promote any upcoming programs and services • Development of a Human Health Service Provider strategy • Creation of Service Hubs

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<p>Transportation</p> <p>Goal: Devise a community-based transportation strategy that includes a variety of options for older people to get to where they need to go.</p> <p><u>Objectives:</u></p> <p>1. Establish a community-based transportation strategy that includes a variety of options for older people to get to where they need to go.</p> <p>2. Maintain a transportation infrastructure that facilitates effective movement of older adults.</p> <p>3. Increase the accessibility of transportation for older adults.</p>	Appoint a Transportation Advisory Committee with representation from the Municipality, specialized transportation providers, and County officials.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • SAC moved motion that a representative from SAC, TTAT and AAC sit on any recommended advisory committee 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Adoption and implementation of Transportation Master Plan
	Review the County Transportation Master Plan and the Trails and Active Transportation Master Plan in the context of the Local Aging Plan to set the context for future planning.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • SAC involved in Transportation Master Plan and Active Transportation Plan 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Federation of Canadian Municipalities: Funding opportunity to assist smaller municipalities with unique transportation concerns
	Create short-term Transportation Plan that focuses on transitioning needs of older adults as they age and other persons of need in the community.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • SAC consultation during Transportation Master Plan 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Adoption and implementation of Transportation Master Plan
	Ensure that municipal road, sidewalks and walkways are well designed and maintained, intersections are well marked, signage is visible, and roads and walkways are well lit.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Tiny Trails Wayfinding Signage • Tiny Trails and Active Transportation Master Plan • Bike Lanes along Balm Beach Road and Concession 5 re-built and speed limit dropped 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Review dark sky policy re. speed lighting. Ensure proper balance of interest between resident safety and enjoyment of nature • Transportation Master Plan
	Explore the feasibility of providing volunteer based driveway/laneway entrance-way clearing during periods of extended snow fall.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • SAC requested that staff investigate volunteer-driven snow removal program • Snow Angels program 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Continued promotion of Snow Angels program
	Conduct a review of existing non-profit, government, agency and private transportation options.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Directory of Senior Services: Wheels 4 Wheels, Community Reach, Red Cross, LINX 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Adoption and implementation of Transportation Master Plan
	Establish community-based service encompassing community and Government organizations that increases access to affordable, alternative forms of transportation.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 211 • Directory of Senior Services: Wheels 4 Wheels, Community Reach, Red Cross, LINX 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Adoption and implementation of Transportation Master Plan
	Identify and negotiate partnerships to enhance transportation within the Township and to surrounding municipalities.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Tiny financially supports Wheels 4 Wheels and Community Reach 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Adoption and implementation of Transportation Master Plan